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RECISSION OF COVERAGE UNDER RESOLUTION NO. R5-2003-0106, TULIP HILL WINERY, LAKE COUNTY

Regional Water Board staff (staff) has reviewed a letter from your consultant; Wallace Group, in response to our 28 July 2006 Notice of Violation (NOV). The letter identifies that Tulip Hill Winery is no longer located in Kelseyville and has moved to 4900 Bartlett Springs Road in Nice. In addition, the letter states that because the winery process water is pretreated on-site and is discharged into Lake County Sanitation District's (LACOSAN) collection system under a special agreement, and that the solids from the process wastewater are collected and hauled from the site, the winery is exempt from the requirement to obtain Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) and the submittal of monitoring reports to the Regional Water Board.

Based on the information provided in your consultant's letter, staff's conversation with you on 25 January 2007 confirming the information in the letter, and our review of the special agreement from LACOSAN, coverage to discharge wastes to land at the Tulip Hill Winery under Resolution No. R5-2003-0106 is hereby rescinded.

If you have questions, please contact Guy Childs at (916) 464-4648.

- Signed by Jack E. Del Conte for -

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